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EDITORIAL COMMENT

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Goodbye, April. You've kept us guessing what you would do next, but after all you have left us in the midst of delightful spring weather.

Three more stars have been added to the service flag of the First Baptist church—Dr. F. P. Thomas, Cyrus M. Williamson and Vernon Pepper. There are perhaps others not recalled.

Some of the ladies are indignant because S. Y. Trimble said in his speech the other night that they ought to wear less clothing. They think he wants to get them arrested.

Col. E. D. Jones has moved from his farm to this city and until he can secure possession of his own house has temporarily rented the Crenshaw cottage on South Main. His next door neighbors are Irving Roseborough and Lewis Elgin and the Colonel says he will bring in a flock of guineas and start a campaign to make his neighbors get up at 4 o'clock in the morning.

The name of Richard H. Waller, of Georgetown, appears in the new list of Kentuckians to be commissioned as Second Lieutenants. The name is somewhat misleading, but this is a Hopkingsville boy, R. Herndon Waller, only son of Mr. and Mrs. Bailey Waller, who entered the service from Scott county and has just graduated from the Camp Taylor Training School for officers.

The Princess Marie Antoinette, mother of Empress Zita has been ordered to leave Austria within twenty-four hours and not re-enter that country until the termination of the war, according to a dispatch from Geneva. Empress Zita has been blamed by the pro-German party in her husband's empire as being responsible for Emperor Charles' now famous letter to Prince Sixtus of Bourbon, his brother-in-law, in which he made overtures for peace to France. Anti-Teutonic tendencies have been attributed to the empress because of her Bourbon descent.

FOLLOWING THE FLAG.

Forty-three instead of 42 young men left for Louisville Sunday, one name being added to the quota announced for Christian county. The additional one was Nobel T. Morse. The alternates were on hand when the train left at 5:44, but it was not necessary for them to go.

James A. Parker, a young man who has been working for the Metcalfe laundry, was enlisted yesterday for special service by Sergt. Hamilton, the local recruiting officer.

Wm. H. Reese, son of P. M. Reese, left yesterday for Owensboro to enlist in the Navy.

Dr. J. B. Jackson, who is over the Army age, has volunteered for service in the volunteer Medical Service Corps authorized by the Council of National Defense. The members of this organization stand ready to render assistance whenever needed.

DEATH AT CROFTON.

Murdoch McIntosh died at his home in Crofton yesterday morning, aged 75 years. He had been ill three weeks, suffering from flag erysipelas caused by a fall sustained while at work in his blacksmith shop. Mr. McIntosh was a much esteemed citizen and a member of the Christian church. His wife, one daughter and three brothers survive. Funeral services will be held at his late residence today and the interment will take place in the Foster burying ground.

PNEUMONIA VICTIM.

Coleman Eugene Usselt, three-months-old son of Mitchell Usselt, died at the home of his parents in the city Sunday of pneumonia. Interment at Riverside cemetery Sunday.

WEATHER FOR WEEK.

Ohio Valley—Fair and cool first of the week; warmer with showers Friday and Saturday.

ALLIES REPEL ATTACKS

WILL REACH THE \$600,000

LIBERTY LOAN SUBSCRIPTIONS CONTINUE TO APPROACH MAXIMUM SOUGHT.

Yesterday a subscription of \$5,000 from the W. O. W. was received from Auditor R. A. Wells. The following letter explains itself:

April 26, 1918.

Mr. Lucian Davis, Hopkinsville, Ky.

Dear Sir:

The Woodmen of the World is taking One Million Dollars worth of Liberty Bonds of the Third Liberty Loan, and it gives me pleasure to authorize you to represent me in Christian county, and place a subscription of \$5,000.00 for the Woodmen of the World, to be credited to Christian county, and assist the members of this great fraternity in raising their required quota.

We are placing this Million Dollars worth of Liberty Bonds to the credit of the various States and different counties where the members of this order reside, in order that they may fully realize that they belong to a great fraternity that is patriotic in every branch of its service. I do not happen to know who is the chairman of the Third Liberty Loan drive for Christian county, and will ask you to call upon him and give to him this subscription for the Woodmen of the World and will ask that these bonds be delivered through either the Merchants National Bank, or the Federal Reserve National Bank, of Omaha, Nebraska, without cost to the Woodmen of the World for transmission.

We have consulted the Chairman of the Nebraska Federal Reserve Bank, and he says this can be done by simply notifying the Federal Bank of this district to have the bonds delivered direct to the Woodmen of the World and that Christian county will get credit for this subscription. I wish to state that I rejoice with you in the great subscription that Kentucky has made for Liberty Bonds in this Third Loan, and hope that this subscription of \$5,000.00, on behalf of the Woodmen of the World, will assist your county in making a splendid record and will ask you to notify the Woodmen of this county of this subscription and extend to them my greetings.

Fraternalty yours,
RAINEY T. WELLS.

THREE BILLION NOW IN SIGHT

(By International News Service.) Washington, April 29.—With 76 percent of the minimum of the Third Liberty Loan already subscribed, the last week of the campaign began today. With the three billion asked as minimum fairly in sight, but confronting an unrelenting effort to obtain the sort of oversubscription expected, the reports tonight show total subscriptions of \$2,283,301,850.

CHICKEN STEALING NOW CLASSIFIED AS FELONY.

(By International News Service.) Memphis, Tenn., April 29.—Chicken stealing is no longer regarded as a misdemeanor by Memphis courts. It is a crime—a felony. Persons who visit hen roosts between two days and make away with fat pullets intended for the Sunday dinner when the preacher comes, have had ample warning through the sentence imposed upon the Allen, confessed king of all chicken thieves. Bud has just been sentenced to five years in the State penitentiary for stealing chickens. To steal a chicken is only petty larceny and the heaviest punishment is a fine of \$20.00 or a short term in the workhouse. The courts have held recently that a charge of burglary may also be entered against the chicken thief who breaks into the hen coop. A term of five years maybe imposed for burglary.

OVERMAN BILL PASSED 63 TO 13

ONLY ONE DEMOCRAT, REED OF MISSOURI, VOTED AGAINST THE MEASURE IN SENATE.

(By International News Service.) Washington, April 29.—The Overman bill was passed by Senate tonight by a vote of 63 to 13, all opponents but one, Reed, of Missouri, being Republicans.

7 SOLDIERS BURNED ALIVE

A BRITISH WHITE PAPER ON THE BRUTAL KILLING OF A SAILOR AT BRANDENBURG.

New York, April 29.—Evidence that a British seaman named John Genower, taken prisoner by the Germans in the battle of the Skagerrak, was deliberately permitted to burn to death, together with a French soldier and five Russians, in a flimsy board cell in the German prison camp at Brandenburg in March, last year, and that when he attempted to get away from the flames behind him by trying to squeeze through the narrow window, was bayoneted by the sentry and thrust back into the fire, has just been made public by the British government in the White Paper, copies of which reached here a few days ago through official sources.

The White Paper, comprising the correspondence of the British government through the Dutch legation in Berlin with the German government, shows that the former endeavored from April 28 to Sept. 3 to ascertain from the later the facts in the case and that as the result of four printed foolscap pages of correspondence comprising some 2,500 words, it obtains two responses. The first admitted that John Genower died at Brandenburg camp "on the 9th March last in consequence of burns." The second asserted that the British story "does not in any way correspond with the fact," and added that to say that "the prisoners who tried to get out through the windows were attacked by him (the sentry) with a bayonet is a malicious fabrication."

Against this the White Paper cites "a report by eight Spanish seamen who were captured from the steamship Gravina by a German submarine," and while interned in the Brandenburg Camp witnessed the burning of the prison cell with the prisoners in it, seeing the sentry give Genower, struggling in the window, "a tremendous bayonet thrust in the chest," afterward "reddening his bayonet again and again with the blood of the other men shut up"; an extract from the report of Captain C. V. Fox, D. S. O., of the Scots Guards, who was imprisoned in the Brandenburg Camp in July, and, before escaping, heard, the story from the other prisoners, and the accounts of "two prisoners of war formerly interned at Brandenburg," who witnessed the occurrence and confirmed the Spaniards' version of it.

The conclusion of the British foreign office, from the correspondence, taking note of the version of one of the witnesses that the reason for the sentry's action was that he dare not let the prisoners get out without an order from his under officer, who was not there, is:

"All comment upon action which results in the burning alive of helpless prisoners of war seems superfluous."

ANNOUNCEMENT.

Tonight at 8 o'clock Rev. Everett S. Smith and others will speak at the Christian church in Crofton. The speaking will be in the interest of the Men and Millions Movement. The public is cordially invited to attend.

Violent and Successive Attacks Along the Flanders Front Were Repeatedly Repulsed Yesterday and All Lines Maintained Intact--Slaughter of Huns Very Great.

(By International News Service.) YPRES BEND UNBROKEN.

London, April 29.—"Suicide corner," the Ypres bend, remains unbroken and many thousands of picked German fighters who tried to test the truth of the name are dead or wounded at the end of an all-day battle in which General von Arnim tried vainly for a break through, from dawn until dusk and on far into the night, German infantry legions were hurled against the Southern and Southwestern approaches. Everywhere the allied line held like granite. The attacks had been planned on a gigantic scale but were repulsed by the heroic Britons who are holding firmly and undismayed at the end of the day.

London, April 29.—The text of to-night's British statement says: "Following a bombardment of great intensity, Franco-British positions from the neighborhood of Meteren to Zollebeke Lake were violently at-

tacked this morning by a large force. Attacks were also made against the Belgian lines to the North of Ypres. Fighting of great intensity, developed rapidly along whole Allied front. The 25th, 49th and 21st divisions repulsed every attempt to enter their positions and despite a succession of determined attacks in great strength maintained all lines intact. The enemy's losses very heavy."

Still Slaughtering Huns.

London, April 29.—"Enemy's losses are heavy," says to-night's report from Field Marshal Haig. "French positions on Hill A, around Scherpenberg and Mount Rouge, in Flanders, Southwest of Ypres, near Loere, have been heavily attacked."

Germany Claims 7100 Prisoners.

Berlin, April 29.—Since the storming of Mount Kemmel, the Germans in Flanders have taken 7,100 prisoners, including 181 officers, captured 53 guns and 243 machine guns. These figures were announced by the war department today.

PLANNING TO DENATURALIZE

(By International News Service.) London, April 29.—The British Government is planning to introduce a bill in parliament providing for the denaturalization of aliens, according to an announcement today.

BANK DROPS GERMAN WORD.

(By International News Service.) Lincoln, Ill., April 29.—Even the word German grates on the sensitive nerves of directors of the German-American National Bank here. It has been stricken out by unanimous vote and the bank will henceforth be known as the American National Bank.

ALUMNI MEETING.

There will be an important meeting of the Alumni of Bethel Women's College Wednesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, at Mrs. L. H. Davis. All members urged to attend.

LABOR LEADERS CONFER AGAIN

(By International News Service.) London, April 29.—Another session was held today at West minister by the American Labor delegation and British Labor leaders. War aims constituted the chief topic discussed.

INDIANA HAS TWO TOWNS WITHOUT ALIEN ENEMY.

(By International News Service.) Indianapolis, Ind., April 29.—Only two of the fifty-one Indiana cities having a population of 5,000 or more are without German alien enemies, according to figures just compiled by Mark Storen, United States Marshal. They are Hartford City and Crawfordsville. Alien enemies registered in the State number 10,849.

The body of a woman about 70 years of age was recovered from the Ohio river Saturday at Henderson. Warren county took \$525,000 of bonds.



MORE PROFITABLE FOR WHOM?

PREPARING FOR GREAT ARMY ATTEND SUNDAY SCHOOL SUNDAY

ESTIMATES FOR ARMY EXPANSION WILL BE GIVEN OUT FINALLY TO-DAY.

(By International News Service.) Washington, April 29.—President Wilson and the cabinet are expected to pass finally upon the estimates for army expansion tomorrow. Secretary Baker will then go before the House Military Affairs Committee and explain what are regarded as the demands of the situation. It is no longer a secret that the estimates now in hand will raise the army strength to 3,000,000 men.

588 TOLL OF U-BOAT RAIDS

16 OFFICERS AND 144 MEN ARE KILLED IN ATTACK ON OSTEND AND ZEEBRUGGE.

London, April 27.—The total British casualties in the operations on Tuesday against Zeebrugge and Ostend, were 588, according to an official announcement to-night. These were divided as follows: Officers killed, 16; died of wounds, 3; missing, 2; wounded, 29. Men killed, 144; died of wounds, 25; missing, 14; wounded, 355.

ONLY 3 LOST

(By International News Service.) London, April 29.—The latest reports regarding the torpedoing of the Y. M. C. A. ship, Oronsa, a British steamer of 8,675, near English coast, yesterday, are to the effect that only three are missing. They are members of the crew. The total number aboard the vessel was 265, including 110 passengers. Sixty Americans were aboard and all were saved.

THOUSAND SALOONS QUIT.

Tonight at midnight one thousand saloons will close their doors in the city of Chicago and will not open again as saloons, but will open for other lines of business. Tomorrow is the beginning of a new license period and it is estimated that 1000 saloons will not attempt to renew their license. This condition has been brought about by war conditions, the spread of prohibition and the teaching of thrift to the masses. If 1000 saloons should close tonight the total number closed during the present administration will represent more than one-fourth of the total in business at the beginning. The number remaining will be approximately five thousand. These estimates are made by Charles J. Forsberg, City Collector.

WHAT SOLDIERS ALWAYS CARRY INTO BATTLE.

In an article in the April American Magazine a writer says: "There are two things the soldier always carry with them: photographs of the 'home folks' and letters from the 'home folks.' The pictures, often with a small Testament, are always in the breast pocket, over the heart. I think they sometimes are put there as a kind of charm to ward off bullets. Anyway, that's where they always are. And the look in a man's face when he shows you the picture of his mother, his wife, his children, and you say—as you always do—that they are very beautiful, will bring tears to your own eyes. "And those packages of letters. They carry them around for months and read them over and over until the creases are so worn the sheets will hardly hold together."

Bowling Green dairies will reduce milk May 1 from 15 to 12 1/2 cents a quart.

MAY 5TH IS GO-TO-SUNDAY-SCHOOL DAY IN KENTUCKY MILLION EXPECTED.

Everybody should begin now to make arrangements to attend Sunday School next Sunday. Fine programs will be prepared and carried out in all the churches and you will find it interesting to attend your choices of the several schools. Many new members will be enrolled and every member who has not been making it a practice of staying away should be present next Sunday. Fine results are expected and no less than a million people should be present.

Early in 1914 the officers of the Kentucky Sunday School Association, at the suggestion of the General Secretary, decided to designate the first Sunday in May as Go-to-Sunday-School Day and to ask each Sunday School to observe that day. The Governor of the State issued a proclamation calling upon all the people of the State to attend Sunday School, newspapers published invitations, posters were put up over cities and towns, calls were made; in short, about everybody in Kentucky must have heard about Go-to-Sunday-School Day and received an invitation or two to attend Sunday School.

From the beginning the movement was a success, and it has become an annual custom of Kentucky Sunday Schools to have a Go-to-Sunday-School Day. This year the call is issued to every man, woman and child in Kentucky to attend Sunday School and to enlist for service in the Army of Christ.

Some of the good results in past years are an increase in attendance of more than one hundred per cent, an increase in enrollment of thousands, the bringing together in co-operative effort workers of many schools, the finding of hundreds who have become church members, the enlisting of some of the most capable and earnest teachers.

The 1918 campaign is expected to bring these results:

One Million People at Sunday School May 5th.

Sixty Thousand New Members Enrolled.

One Thousand Schools Contributing to the Kentucky Sunday School Association.

Four Thousand Churches of Kentucky Gaining Some New Members. A Deepening of Love and Loyalty to our Country.

A Strengthening of the Feeling of Christian Brotherhood.

An Invitation Given to Everybody in Kentucky to Attend Sunday School and Church.

Reports and offerings of each Sunday School should be mailed promptly to the Kentucky Sunday School Association, 712 Louisville Trust Building, Louisville, Kentucky.

THIRD TIME THE CHARM

ST. LOUIS MAN ACCEPTS THE SEAT TURNED DOWN BY CLARK AND GRAVES.

(By International News Service.) St. Louis, April 29.—Following the declination by Justice W. W. Graves, of a seat in the Senate to succeed the late Senator Stone, Governor Gardner today named Zenopen P. Wilfley, of St. Louis. Mr. Wilfley accepted.

HEART TROUBLE FATAL.

Miss Kate Miller, daughter of Duett Miller, of the East school house country, died Saturday, of myocarditis, aged 26 years. She had been in declining health for about three years and was a great sufferer. Interment took place in the family burying ground Sunday.